



26th Year

May 30, 31 & June 1, 2008

NORTHWESTERN DIVISION CONVENTION

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"The Northwest's Largest Ham Convention"

Seaside Convention Center

415 1st Avenue, Seaside, Oregon

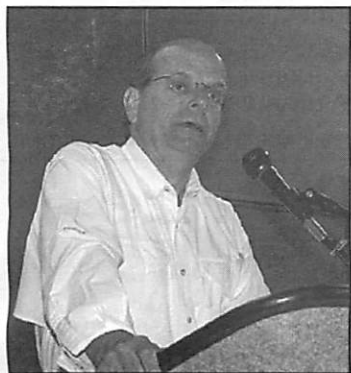


SEA-PAC Banquet

This Banquet is limited to 400 reservations.

The SEA-PAC banquet is a time to reacquire yourself with hams from around the division, the nation and the world.

Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, Special Counsel for the Spectrum Enforcement Division of the FCC's Enforcement Bureau, will be the banquet speaker at the 2008 SeaPac ARRL Northwest Division Convention banquet on Saturday, May 31. Hollingsworth is well known to the amateur community and draws large and enthusiastic audiences.



Hams across the US have credited Hollingsworth with helping to reduce malicious interference and other

problem behavior, both on and off the air.

A native of South Carolina and a ham for 48 years, Hollingsworth holds an Advanced class ticket. He's a graduate of the University of South Carolina and Wake Forest University Law School--where he was the president of the Student Bar.

Hollingsworth is a member of the ARRL and the Quarter Century Wireless Association. In 1996 he received the Special Achievement Award at the Dayton Amateur radio convention. He also enjoys collecting vintage Amateur Radio equipment and has set up several older transmitter-receiver combinations at his home along with his modern gear.

Don't miss this event, get your SEA-PAC event and banquet tickets today as seating is limited.

THE RETURN OF STANLEY HAM

Stanley is released from the OTVARC funny farm with a clean bill of health but we know Stanley! He's at it again! Will Stanley be sent back to the farm? Join us at the banquet and enjoy the 4th episode of this hilarious skit.

BANQUET PRIZES

Icom IC-V82 (D-Star) 2 Meter HT
Kenwood TH-K2AT 2 Meter HT

HEIL Sound Workshop

Friday, May 30, 2008

at the Shilo Inn by the Promenade

The Science of Great Audio in the Modern Ham Station

conducted by

Bob Heil, K9EID and Chip Margelli, K7JA
Heil Sound Ltd.

Great-sounding audio doesn't just happen by accident; it's the result of proper microphone selection, the correct adjustment of the many available sound-related features on your rig, and (most importantly) by your knowing how to listen to your own signal in order to achieve the desired results.

Renowned audio guru Bob Heil, K9EID and Heil Sound's VP for Amateur Sales and Marketing Chip Margelli, K7JA bring decades of experience in sound and transceiver design knowledge to Seaside for our Friday learning session. This is a unique opportunity to learn about the relationship between audio bandwidth, articulation, speech processing on the transmitter side, and the human ear on the receiving side, from the foremost audio expert in the world of amateur radio. Find out the secrets of peaking your station's performance, whether you're into DX work, contesting, emergency communications, or high-quality audio for rag-chewing.

ARRL Guest & Forum

The Northwestern Division Convention welcomes ARRL Media and Public Relations Manager Allen Pitts, W1AGP. A radio amateur since 1999, he has served as an ARES District Emergency Coordinator, Section Emergency Coordinator, ARRL Assistant Section Manager and is active on HF, VHF and UHF. Pitts will help us understand how to develop stories on Amateur Radio's role in disaster relief and how to interface with the Public Information Officers of the media

LUNCHEONS

DX & YLRL

Saturday — 11:30 a.m.

The speaker for the YLRL Luncheon will be Kathleen Resburg KE7AJH who will talk about her experiences with the HEART (Hospital Emergency Amateur Radio Team) organization.

Best Western—Oceanview Resort
414 North Prom, Seaside

Convention Schedule

Friday, May 30

Registration..... 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Exhibitor/Flea Market Set-Up 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Workshop 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM
Shilo Inn by the Promenade

Saturday, May 31

Exhibitor/Flea Market Set-Up 7:30 AM - 9:00 AM
Registration 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM
Exhibits & Flea Market..... 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
Snack Bar 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
VE Exams (Pre-registered) 9:00 AM
Our Saviour's Lutheran Church - East Parish Hall
Seminars..... 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
YLRL Luncheon 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM
Best Western, Oceanview Resort
DX Luncheon 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM
Best Western, Oceanview Resort
Special PRIZES..... 2:30 PM
Pre-Banquet Happy Hour..... 6:30 PM - 7:15 PM
Banquet 7:15 PM - 9:30 PM
Seaside Convention Center

Sunday, June 1

Registration..... 8:30 AM - 12:00 Noon
Exhibits & Flea Market 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon
Snack Bar..... 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
Special PRIZES..... 10:30 AM
PRIZES..... 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM
Convention Closes 2:00 PM

*A complete schedule will be available at the Convention Center
beginning Friday May 30, 2008.*

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SEA-PAC Prizes

Sunday, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

Need Not Be Present

***Icom IC-706 Mark II G HF/UHF/VHF
Kenwood TM-V71A Dual Band Mobile
Alinco DR-635T Dual Band Mobile***

Must Be In Convention Center—None by Proxy

42" LCD Flat Screen HD TV

***Icom IV-92AD (D-Star) Dual Band HT
Kenwood TH-F6A Tri-Band HT***

Early-Early Bird Prize

Website Registrations by February 16, 2008

VX 6R Tri-Band HT

To be eligible - Need Not Be Present

Early Bird Prize

Registration postmarked by May 15, 2008

***Icom IC-ID-800 (D-Star) Dual Band Mobile
Yaesu VX-3R Dual Band HT***

To be eligible - Need Not Be Present

HOURLY PRIZES

***Unclaimed prizes are re-issued!
None by Proxy***

Hourly prizes posted for two hours in the lobby and on stage

SPECIAL PRIZES

***Must Be In Convention Center
None by Proxy***

Saturday, 2:30 pm & Sunday, 10:30 am

Seaside Community Information

The City of Seaside does not allow overnight RV parking on streets and parking lots. Violators are ticketed. If all parks in Seaside are full, permits to park in designated lots may be obtained.

Trailer Parks, Campgrounds and Alternative Housing are available. A list of facilities is available from Seaside Lodging Information: 888.306.2326 or at the **SEA-PAC** web site: www.seapac.org.

VE Testing

Testing will be conducted at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, May 31, 2008. Seating is limited so reserve your place by registering now.

Registration must be received by May 16, 2008.

Pre-registration only. No walk-ins!

Confirmation will be sent to registered participants. Cancellation refunds only if received prior to May 16, 2008.

Bring photo ID, original and copy of all licenses/CSCE documents, and a check for \$14.00 payable to ARRL VEC.

Additional information?
Call Carl Clawson evenings — 503.629.5796

Registration For VE Test

Please check the examination element(s) you wish to take:

- ☐ Element 2 (Technician) ☐ Element 3 (General)
☐ Element 4 (Extra)

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

Call Sign/Class _____

Send To:

Carl Clawson WS7L
20767 NW Old Pass Rd., Hillsboro OR 97124
Or email all information to: ws7l@arrl.net
Questions? Call 503.629.5796 evenings, or email

**PURCHASE YOUR
SEA-PAC COLLECTORS PIN
AT THE REGISTRATION DESK**

RAGS Country Store

RAGS, the Country Store where you may display your rig for sale. To reserve your spot, call or write:
Gene Mielke KA7JNU, 3926 Fairview, Hood River OR 97031
- 541.386.2041 - geneandkaren@gorge.net

Flea Market Table Renters

SEA-PAC Flea Market is a service to those selling or trading used ham gear. Table renters displaying new equipment may be asked to remove it if a Commercial Exhibitor (Main Floor) objects.

NO power is available for flea market tables.

PLEASE ALLOW 4 WEEKS FOR RECEIPT OF TICKETS

REGISTRATION

Make checks payable to "SEA-PAC"

No. _____
Office Use Only

Mail To: **SEA-PAC**, Box 25466, Portland OR 97298-0466

Registrations at \$8.00 each (\$10.00 at the door) \$ _____

Children (12 and under) FREE \$ _____

Flea Market Tables (No Dealer Sales) \$ _____
(\$15 per table per day or \$25 per table for 2 days)
(NO power available)

Friday Workshop at \$20.00 (250 person limit) \$ _____

Saturday YLRL Lunch at \$15.00 (50 person limit) \$ _____

Saturday DX Lunch at \$15.00 (50 person limit) \$ _____

Saturday Banquet Salmon Dinner at \$22.00 \$ _____

Saturday Banquet Bonless BBQ Pork at \$22.00 \$ _____
(Limit 400 participants for Banquet)

TOTAL \$ _____

Refunds of \$5.00 or more only. NO Refund after May 15, 2008.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

Call Sign _____ Phone _____

NICKNAME & CALL SIGN FOR REGISTRATION BADGE
(Please Print - indicate children:C)

EARLY BIRD Registration postmarked by May 15, 2008



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We hope everyone will enjoy themselves to the fullest. We look forward to seeing you in Seaside.
The Oregon Tualatin Valley Amateur Radio Club wishes to thank Clark County ARC, Sunset Empire ARC,
RAGS and Hoodview ARC for their assistance and contributions to the convention.
Please let us hear your suggestions.

Talk-in: 146.660-
www.seapac.org

Convention sponsors reserve the right to alter the convention schedule and programs.
No purchase necessary for prizes, this does not include registration ticket for Ham Convention; limit one entry
per person (unless pre-registered by May 15, 2008).
All registrants, including convention sponsors, are eligible for awards. Good luck to all.

Seaside Convention Center
is a
No Smoking Facility.
ORS 433.839 and 433.875
No Pets Allowed in the Convention Center.